## OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday the 8th December 1928 :—

| Food articles | Quality | Seers | Lbs. per bag | Rate | Market Report | Retail prices |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Food grains and pulses— | | | | Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p. | | |
| Rice .. | Guntoor per palla .. | 100 | 246 | 20 0 0 to 24 0 0 | .. | 4 to 5 seers per rupee |
| | Pattesamanahalli Sanna per palla .. | 100 | 246 | 23 8 0 | .. | 4½ " |
| | Dharapur " .. | 100 | 246 | 24 8 0 | .. | 4 " |
| | Mysore kaddi " .. | 100 | 246 | 20 0 0 to 21 8 0 | .. | 4½ to 5 " |
| Ragi .. | Duyam (black) per cart load .. | 640 | .. | 70 0 0 to 72 0 0 | .. | 8½ to 9 " |
| | Superior (red) " .. | 640 | .. | 74 0 0 to 75 0 0 | .. | |
| Tur .. | Gulbarga .. .. | .. | .. | .. .. | .. | 6 to 6½ " |
| Tur (Dal) .. | .... | .. | .. | .... | .. | 3½ to 4½ " |
| Avare .. | .... | .. | .. | .... | .. | 6½ to 7½ " |
| Avare (Dal) .. | .... | .. | .. | .... | .. | 5½ to 6½ " |
| Oils and oilseeds— | | | | | | |
| Oils | Sweet oil .. .. | .. | 36½ | 7 8 0 to 8 0 0 | .. | 0-3-0 to 0-3-3 per seer. |
| | Castor oil .. .. | .. | 28 | 6 4 0 | .. | 0-2-8 " |
| Oilseeds .. | Gingelly or Til seed per candy .. | 255 | .. | 48 0 0 to 51 0 0 | .. | .. .. |
| | Castor seed " .. | 255 | .. | 35 0 0 to 36 0 0 | .. | .. .. |
| Other Food Articles— | | | | | | |
| Sugar .. | White Bura .. .. | 25 | .. | 3 8 0 to 3 9 0 | .. | 0-6-9 to 0-7-3 per viss |
| | Kolar Bura .. .. | 25 | .. | 3 6 0 to 3 8 0 | .. | |
| Jaggery .. | Achu .. .. | 28 | .. | 4 12 0 to 5 0 0 new | .. | 0-9-0 to 0-10-6 per viss |
| | Oonde .. .. | 28 | .. | 4 8 0 to 4 12 0 new | .. | |
| Ghee .. | Superior (Mandya) .. | 26¼ | .. | 25 0 0 to 27 0 0 | .. | 2-2-0 to 2-6-0 per viss |
| Salt .. | Bombay salt (black) .. | 100 | .. | 7 4 0 to 7 6 3 | .. | 13 to 14 seers per rupee |

BANGALORE,
*Dated 10th December* 1928.

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For *Director*.

## OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 8TH DECEMBER 1928.

A total of 121 attacks with 75 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 135 attacks with 80 deaths in the previous week. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore returned 1 attack with 1 death and 3 attacks with 2 deaths respectively while Kolar Gold Field area continued to remain free from the disease.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 48 attacks and 34 deaths in 1927 and 46 attacks with 26 deaths in 1926.

3. A total of 32 attacks with 13 deaths from cholera was returned for eight villages in Mysore Taluk, two villages in Gundlupet Taluk and the City of Mysore.

4. Thirty attacks with 12 deaths from small-pox were returned for three villages in Chamrajnagar Taluk, one village in Koppa Taluk, Madhugiri and Chamrajnagar Towns and the City of Bangalore and the Kolar Gold Field area.

5. The State continued to remain free from other epidemics, *viz.*, influenza and relapsing fever.

6. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 90, representing a calculated annual ratio of 39·91 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·06 for 1927. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under plague, 1 under small-pox, 2 under malaria, 9 under pneumonia, 3 under other fevers, 3 under phthisis, 13 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 58 under all other causes.

As compared with the City, the Civil and Military Station, returned for the week ending 2nd December 1928, 66 deaths representing a calculated annual ratio of 28·95 per mille of population against the average ratio of 32·02 in the previous week. The causes of deaths were pneumonia 25, phthisis 6, dysentery and diarrhœa 3 and all other causes 32.

7. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 51, representing a calculated annual ratio of 31·58 per mille of population against the average ratio of 35·30 for 1927. The causes of deaths were plague 2, cholera 1, malaria 2, pneumonia 3, phthisis 7, dysentery and diarrhœa 10 and all other causes 26.

8. There were 42 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Field area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 24·35 per mille of population against the average ratio of 30·28 for 1927. The deaths numbered 4 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 38 under all other causes.